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<b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER</b>			Docket No. A0312.70410US00
Application No. 09/923225-Conf. #8975	Filing Date August 6, 2001	Examiner J. D. Torres	Art Unit 2133

Applicant(s): Stephen J. Plante et al.

Invention: HIGH PERFORMANCE TURBO AND VITERBI CHANNEL DECODING IN DIGITAL SIGNAL PROCESSORS

**TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS**

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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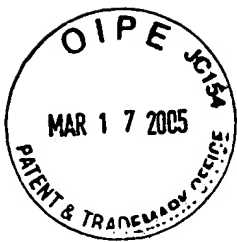
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**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 16, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 9 of this paper and include attached replacement sheets.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including amended drawing figures is attached following page 13 of this paper.